

131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 505

LR 1237(01)

An Act to Update Reimbursement Rates for Transportation of Deceased Persons by Funeral Homes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill Sponsor: Sen. Baldacci of Penobscot Committee: Health and Human Services Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings) General Fund	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000
Appropriations/Allocations General Fund	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Office of the Attorney General will require an ongoing appropriation of \$150,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2023-24 to increase transportation and wait time reimbursement rates for funeral establishments requested to transport a body to Augusta for the Office of Chief Medical Examiner.